

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Max De Groot)	Group Art Unit: 2617
Application No.: 10/529,213)	Examiner: Marcos L. Torres
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For: IDENTIFICATION OF A TERMINAL)	
TO A SERVER)	

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This communication is a full and timely response to the Office Action dated December 27, 2010. Claims 1-11 and 13-16 remain pending in this application. Reconsideration and allowance of this application are respectively requested based on the discussion below.

Rejection Under 35 U.S.C. §103

In numbered paragraph 5 on page 3 of the Office Action, claims 1-11 and 13-16 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) for alleged unpatentability over *Aura* (US 6,373,949) in view of *Owada* (US 2002/0034306) and further in view of *Kang* (US 2004/0009775). Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection as the combination of these prior art documents does not render the claims obvious as the Examiner alleges.

Independent claims 1, 3, 4, 8, and 10 are variously directed to a process, method, or device for identifying a user terminal resource or a user of the terminal resource by a server resource, where applicable. Specifically, each independent